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Sense

"THE BIRTH OF A NATION"
ORIGINAL PRODUCTION HERE.

David W. Griffith's epoch-making production "The Birth Of A Nation," a United Artists release, following its record-breaking return to New York, will be seen in one of its original productions. The Elba Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 17 & 18th.

This work from the nature of the new art it established has excited keenest curiosity among the people of the South and after being away for several years it was recently presented for a special engagement at the enormous Capitol Theatre and played to over 10,000 people in two weeks.

"The Birth Of A Nation" tells by film and music the story of a nation re-born through the storm and stress of inter-racial strife. Instead of the sentimentalism of the conventional plays, its technique permits of filming literally thousands of scenes and covering a wide range of history and character. The play is the political cause of the War; Lincoln's call for troops to subdue the Southern States; the ball on the eve of Bull Run, and the first truly devastating blow by Sherman's march and the awful ordeal of the Siege of Petersburg; Lee's surrender to Grant at Appomattox; the assassination of Lincoln; the harsh radical policy toward the stricken South; the uprising of the Ku Klux Klan and the overthrow of the carpet-bagger regiments; the grim factors and events pass before the thrilled spectator.

The love interest of the play is based on the friendships between the Cameron's of South Carolina and the Stevens of Pennsylvania; two families involved in the struggle. Ben Cameron, the gallant clansman of the Dixon stories, appears again in the role of romantic hero; the piquant Northern girl Ellie Stoneman, the heroine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patrick and Miss Ethel Bell Royster of Elba, who have been visiting relatives in New England, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. T. Grimes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McLean and children visited Mrs. Lillian Redman of Brooklyn Community Saturday Night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson visited relatives in Opelika Sunday.

Mr. Alto Bryant and John

CURTIS NEWS.

(By Eddie Bell Johnson.)

Curtis School is still our new building now.

Our play Friday night was a great success and a large crowd attended and enjoyed it fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bullard of Elba were Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Grimes.

Mrs. Josie Bell Royster who has been visiting relatives in New England, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Paine

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Miss Georgia Page who is attending school at Tuskegee, has this week been with parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Paine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mahoy of Opelika visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Grimes Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson visited relatives in Opelika Sunday.

Miss Ethel Shealy spent the week and with friends in Montgomery.

Our stock of Window Glass is complete. Cold, rainy weather is coming.

BONNEAU-JETER HDWE., CO.

Eat an Alabama turkey for Thanksgiving.

New M. E. Church at New Brockton.

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When You
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is Safe—
IT ISN'T

Under the carpet, in the teapot, behind the clock—none of those places are safe hiding spots for money, as is attested by news items that one sees frequently in the daily papers.

Robbers and sneak thieves appear to know just where to look for the family hoard that is hidden about the house instead of being deposited in a bank, where it would be safe.

Besides, banks pay interest on time deposits. Put your money at work for you in our bank where it will be safe.

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REV. M. T. MOORE CLOSES
GREAT YEAR'S WORK

In this issue of The Advocate we are presenting to our readers the likes of Rev. M. T. Moore, pastor of the First Baptist Church of New Brockton, Alba, together with the picture of the handsome church built under his leadership. Brother Moore is one of the most faithful pastors. He has been preaching fifteen times but has held only four appointments. He is closing his fourth year as pastor at New Brockton. During this time he has received 234 mem-

bers into the church and raised approximately \$25,000 (24.82 per cent). The new church was built and paid for during his pastorate. It has been painted inside and out and provided with a new organ. The Chapel, another church on the circuit, has been repainted and recovered and a new piano placed in it. At Tabernacle, still another church on the circuit, a new roof has been added, the church has been painted and an organ placed in it. At New Brockton the climax of Brother Moore's efforts has been reached in the building of a new church which was provided with Sunday School equipment, social halls, and a fine auditorium. A new piano has been put in this church. The church is also at present the largest in New Brockton but there are places where it would have cost \$30,000 to build this church. The membership of our church at New Brockton is now 88 and these have received from Brother Moore. The Advocate goes into practically every home there.

On Sunday of last week the editor of the Advocate had the privilege of preaching three times on Bro. Moore's charge, twice at New Brockton and once at Bethel. He was strongly impressed with the fine work that Brother Moore was doing.

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COTTON SEED MEAL FOR FERTILIZER.

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Elba, Ala., Nov. 23.—The current low prices for cotton seed meal as compared with nitrate of soda prices about the same as when cotton and cottonseed meal were much higher have presented a fertilizer situation which is unique. M. J. Funchess, dean and director of the Agricultural Experiment Station here, to cause farmers to use more cottonseed meal as a fertilizer for cotton next year.

To determine which to use, Prof. Funchess made a careful study of the results of 202 experiments conducted over a period of 12 years with cotton on all soil divisions of Alabama. He found that a ton of nitrate of soda (18 per cent ammonia) produced 2.4 times as much cotton as a ton of cottonseed meal of 7.6 per cent ammonia produced.

In practical terms this means that when the price of nitrate of soda is high and cottonseed meal they are a 50-50 proposition as a cotton fertilizer. At present, however, cottonseed meal can be bought for around \$20 a ton and 2.4 times \$20 equals \$48 a ton, or 1 dollar added to the prevailing prices for nitrate of soda.

Therefore, if present prices of the two products are the same in any time during the year, Prof. Funchess would advise farmers to buy cottonseed meal. At prevailing prices meal is more economical, and, at the same time, cottonseed meal is a more complete product and by using it for fertilizer farmers are increasing the demand for their own produce.

Prof. Funchess said that this figure is for the State as a whole, and that it is not absolutely true for all soil divisions. For this reason he advises farmers to consult their county agents for information about the results on their particular soils.

Our stock of Window Glass is complete. Cold, rainy weather is coming. BONNEAU-JETER HDWE., CO.

NOTICE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County, has issued a license to Dora Ford, deceased, and her husband, Mr. Dora Ford, deceased, November 20th, 1926.

This day comes T. C. Stephens, Administrator of the estate of Dora Ford, deceased, and filed in Court his accounts and vouchers for a final settlement and paid up to the heirs of the 13th day of December, 1926, having been appointed by the Court for examining, auditing and settling the same, notice is hereby given to all parties interested to appear on said date and contest the same, if they think proper.

J. A. CARNEY,
Probate Judge.

WAGONS AND GASOLINE ENGINES. Just received a car of Type "Z" 6 mil. Fairbanks, Morse Engines for peanut pickers, and a car of Owendown 2½ Wagons for coffee pickers. GOFF MERCANTILE CO., Enterprise, —— Alabama.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS
SOME FOLKS TAKES ENNY-THING DEY KIN GIT DEY HANDS ON. CEPN WORK!!

Last Call Today



AMERICAN RED CROSS Serves Humanity

Red Cross Volunteer Workers Ever on Duty

Red Cross Life-Saving Service Is Nation-Wide

Scarcity of water apparently has no effect on interest in water rescue.

Arizona, which is associated with deep desert cactus and caustic, has kept窗水 for knifing stockings for the Red Cross campaign.

The building of new irrigation dams has helped bring Arizona into a swimming State despite popular conception of that country.

In more than 800 swimming institutes conducted by the Red Cross, the officers and workers are trained.

They will act as solicitors in the Tenth Annual Roll Call for members, which the Red Cross will conduct from November 11 to 25.

Nearly 80,000 disabled veterans are assisted by the American Red Cross on an average every month of the year. The total membership of this corps at the close of the year was 2,075.

The Tenth Annual Roll Call from November 11 to 25 is an opportunity to measure up to your obligations to the Red Cross.

The American Red Cross is the third largest organization in the United States. It is held this year in its 10th anniversary of home or abroad.

During the Tenth Annual Roll Call from November 11 to 25 and share its humanity.

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Three seasons heavy weight Men's Drawers and Underwear, for only 59 cents. Mays-Vaughn Merc. Co.

Rhoades School News

(Too late for last week.)

It is Rhoades School on the man? Yes! We have one of the biggest and best schools in the history of Rhoades School.

We believe our Basket ball team is one of the BEST. Friday afternoon a sure enough fast game was played between the Kingston five and our Boys' team. The Kingston team won.

The teams were well matched and fought for every score that was made. Finally team scored during the first half.

M. McLeod starred for the Kingston team, making every score. At the end of the game the score was tie, 6-6.

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A late awake meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held Friday evening, Nov. 12. There was a good attendance and much interest was shown. A short business session was held, while it was decided to send written invitations to the patrons before next meeting.

A short program was given by the primary pupils who were followed by a different program on an attention problem. Refreshments were served and every one enjoyed a social hour before adjourning.

—Aunt Het.

Money Raising Sale—

Dread LD, 35 lbs Shelling, all you want, 9½ per yard. Mays-Vaughn Merc. Co.

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